

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

Inter State Cooperation – Measures to improve connectivity between the States of Andhra Pradesh and Chhattisgarh – Constitution of Working Group – Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.A) DEPARTMENT

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**O R D E R:**

In the meeting held on 22-9-2014 between the Chief Ministers of Andhra Pradesh and Chhattisgarh, the need to improve the connectivity between the two states has been discussed and it was felt that the State of Chhattisgarh, a land locked State, is in the heartland of India needs port connectivity whereas the State of Andhra Pradesh has long coastline with port infrastructure can support huge hinterland. The regions of both states enjoy a long and historic relationship, trade and commerce. In order to foster economic growth, people to people relationship, cultural exchange between the two states and to leverage their respective strengths it has been felt that there is a need to improve physical connectivity including road, railway and Air connectivity between the two states.

2. The two Governments have decided to constitute a Working Group to be co-chaired by the Chief Secretaries of the states of Andhra Pradesh and Chhattisgarh. The Working Group shall have the Secretaries of Public Works Department (PWD), Transport, Roads & Buildings (T R & B) , Forest Energy and Chief Minister Office as members.

3. Accordingly, the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby nominate the following Officers as part of the working Group to identify the parameters and prepare a road map to improve connectivity between the two states.

1. Chief Secretary to Government of Andhra Pradesh
2. Principal Secretary to Chief Minister
3. Special Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretary / Secretary I & CAD Department
4. Special Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretary / Secretary, Environment Forest Science & Technology Department
5. Special Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretary / Secretary, Energy Department
6. Special Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretary / Secretary, T R & B Department
7. Principal Secretary / Secretary Culture Department

4. The Government of Chhattisgarh shall issue necessary orders appointing their officers as part of the Working Group. The schedule of meetings of the working group, shall be decided with the mutual consent of the two Chief Secretaries.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

I.Y.R. KRISHNA RAO  
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Members of working Group concerned.

The Chief Secretary to Government, Government of Chhattisgarh, Raipur,  
Chhattisgarh.

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All the Special Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/Secretaries to Government,

Copy to:

The Departments concerned.

The Principal Secretary/Secretary to Chief Minister.

The P.S. to Chief Secretary/Prl. Secretary (Poll.)/Addl. Secretary (AIS)

The P.S. to all the Ministers

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